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In re Patent Application of

Dalero BERKELEY et al

Atty. Ref.: 839-1508

Patent No. 6,901,761

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Issued: June 7, 2005

Examiner: CASAREGOLA, Louis J.

For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR REGULATING PRESSURE OF PILOT AIR TO
COMBUSTOR OF GAS TURBINE**

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October 5, 2005

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP IN AN ISSUED PATENT

This Petition is presented to correct the inventorship in the above-captioned issued patent and is made pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.34. It is respectfully requested that the USPTO grant this Petition and issue a Certificate of Correction adding Mr. Andres Garcia-Crespo as a named inventor on the patent. Attached is a proposed Certificate of Correction. Further, the attachments to this Petition is supported by the following attachments:

(1) a statement from Mr. Garcia-Crespo stating that the inventorship error occurred without any deceptive intent on his part. Also enclosed is a inventor Declaration signed by Mr. Garcia-Crespo.

(2) a statement signed by each of the other named inventors stating that they have no disagreement with adding Mr. Garcia-Crespo as an inventor to the patent.

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(3) a statement from the Assignee (General Electric Company) agreeing to adding Mr. Garcia-Crespo as an inventor on this GE patent.

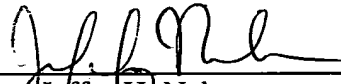
(4) the fee required by §1.20(b).

All requirements necessary for the correction of inventorship are believed to have been satisfied. If any small matter remains outstanding, the USPTO is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned so that such matters can be promptly resolved. Prompt consideration and granting of this Petition is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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By: _____


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September 16, 2005

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

STATEMENT BY GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY

1. I am the authorized representative of the General Electric Company which is the assignee of the above-captioned patent. The USPTO Assignment records at Reel 015020/Frame 0508 show that General Electric Company is the assignee of this patent.

2. The General Electric Company has no objection to adding Mr. Andres Garcia-Crespo as an inventor to the above-identified GE patent.

3. I declare further that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001

of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may
jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Date:

9/20/2005


Ernest G. Cusick



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Sir:

DECLARATION OF ANDRES GARCIA-CRESPO

I am Andres Garcia-Crespo of 1421 Roper Mountain Road, Apt. 140, Greenville,
South Carolina 29615. I am a U.S. citizen.

1. I am a joint inventor of the subject matter claimed in U.S. Patent No. 6,901,761
("the '761 Patent). Attached to this Declaration is a Rule 63 Declaration signed by me
for the '761 Patent.

2. The error in not naming me as an inventor on the application for the '761
Patent occurred without any deceptive intention on my part.

3. I have executed an assignment transferring my rights in the '761 Patent to the
General Electric Company.

4. I declare further that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true
and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further

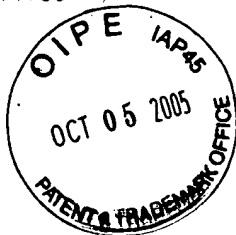
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Date:

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RULE 63 (37 C.F.R. 1.63)
INVENTORS DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that my residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name, and I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR REGULATING PRESSURE OF PILOT AIR TO COMBUSTOR OF GAS TURBINE

the specification of which (check applicable box(es)):

☐ is attached hereto
☒ was filed on Feb. 24, 2004 as U.S. Application Serial No. 10/784,207 (now U.S. Patent 6,901,761) (Atty. Dkt. No. 839-1508)
☐ was filed as PCT International application No. _____ on _____
and (if applicable to U.S. or PCT application) was amended on _____

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Patent Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.56. I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119/365 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed or, if no priority is claimed, before the filing date of this application:

Priority Foreign Application(s):

Application Number	Country	Day/Month/Year Filed
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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 120/365 of all prior United States and PCT international applications listed above or below.

Prior U.S./PCT Application(s):

Application Serial No.	Day/Month/Year Filed	Status: patented pending, abandoned
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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon. And on behalf of the owner(s) hereof, I hereby ask that all correspondence in this matter be directed to:

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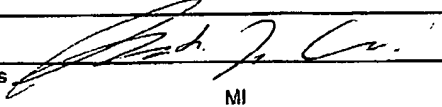
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	Inventor:	Dalero Winston Berkeley (first) MI (last)		USA (citizenship)
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2.	Inventor's Signature:	_____	Date:	_____
	Inventor:	Robert A. McLeod (first) MI (last)		USA (citizenship)
	Residence: (city)	Greenville (state/country)		South Carolina
	Mailing Address:	300 Garington Rd., P.O. Box 648, Room 160, Greenville, South Carolina		
	(Zip Code)	29602		

[X] See attached sheet(s) for additional inventor(s) information!!

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RULE 63 (37 C.F.R. 1.63)
INVENTORS DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION
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3. Inventor's Signature: _____ Date: _____
Inventor: Michael Paul Black USA
(first) MI (last) (citizenship)
Residence: (city) Simpsonville (state/country) South Carolina
Mailing Address: 27 Redglobe Ct., Simpsonville, South Carolina
(Zip Code) 29681
4. Inventor's Signature: _____ Date: _____
Inventor: Doug Dean USA
(first) MI (last) (citizenship)
Residence: (city) Greer (state/country) South Carolina
Mailing Address: 223 Silver Creek Rd., Greer, South Carolina
(Zip Code) 239650
5. Inventor's Signature:  Date: 9/21/05
Inventor: Andres Garcia-Crespo USA
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Sir:

STATEMENT BY THE INVENTORS

1. We, the undersigned, are the originally named inventors on U.S. Patent No. 6,901,761 ("the '761 Patent").
2. None of us have any disagreement with adding Mr. Andres Garcia-Crespo as an inventor of the invention claimed in the '761 Patent.
3. We declare further that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under

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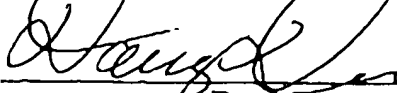
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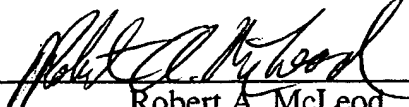
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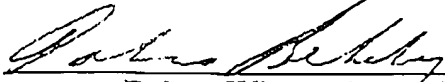
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